2 February 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting of the Warning Working Group

- The Warning Working Group met on 2 February 1979 at Langley. attended for Ted Shackley.
- 2. The Chairman distributed a new draft paper on the Strategic Warning Staff and asked for comments by COB 9 February. He noted that the agreed upon footnote had been omitted, but would be included in the final. A copy is being sent to Resource Management Staff for comment also, because the paper does deal with SWS strength.
- The bulk of the meeting was devoted to discussion of strategy on NIT II.1:
 - presented a proposal for validation of NIE 4-1. After some discussion and modification, this was accepted.
 - It was agreed that any work on cover concealment and deception beyond that required for 4-1 would be deferred pending clarification of Community responsibilities for CC&D. No great enthusiasm was expressed for greater Working Group involvement in the subject.
 - was requested to provide new language on WISP for inclusion in a revised strategy.
 - The Chairman agreed to formulate a new strategy paper from the basis of this discussion and submit it to the Working Group. He would include a suggestion of how the various projects would be carried out.

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4. Another meeting was tentatively scheduled for Friday, 16 February at 1315 hours in Room 7E-62. This meeting will be devoted to the SWS paper if that proves to be necessary. If the new strategy paper can be prepared in time for dissemination a day or two before the meeting, then it, too, should be discussed.

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